

# The Chauvin Chronicle

AN INDEPENDENT WEEKLY NEWSPAPER CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT  
ARTLAND, CHAUVIN EDGERTON, RIBSTONE, MERTON, SIFTON, & MANITOUA LAKE

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### Airlie Notes

A special meeting of the Airlie categories was held in the schoolhouse Friday, March 10th for the purpose of electing a school trustee in place of J. A. Craddock resigned.

Meeting was called to order at two o'clock by the chairman, C. Mathison. Chairman declared meeting open for nominations. F. Cargill was elected.

The Airlie U.F.A. held their Annual dance in schoolhouse, March 10.

A larger attendance was expected. Mathison Bros were musicians. We wish to thank those who assisted at the organ, Mrs. Paquet, Maxwell Scott.

Mr. Neighbor, don't get so self-centred in your farm, stock and household so that you think you can't spare the time to take an interest in the doings of your district. Its your duty as a resident to help along with school business U.F.A. movement, social times, church business, etc. Don't leave it to a few to keep things going. It is alright to criticize the doings of those who are trying to do their bit, but don't knock get in the name and know your neighbor U.F.A. would like to see every one in the district at our next social evening. Come and forget the drudgery of the farm for a few hours.

### Lealholme U. F. A.

#### & U.F.W.A. Note

A joint social evening of the three locals to be held on Friday, March 24th. All members please attend. A good time is assured.

Take a fresh lemon drink without sugar if you feel bilious.

### Church Meeting

#### At Killarney

The annual meeting of the Killarney congregation was held after service on Sunday, March 19th.

The old board of managers was re-elected: Messrs J. Semple, W. T. Watson and Mrs. H. Higginson.

All expenses were met and a balance of \$25.00 carried over.

Five dollars were voted to Presbytery clerk's salary.

### Greenmeadows U.F.A.

The Greenmeadows U.F.A. annual dance and box social, will be given J. Varty's barn Wednesday, March 29th. Every effort will be made to make this gathering a big success, and arrangements have been made for Chauvin orchestra to be in attendance.

The above will be held in Mr James Varty's barn.

### Chauvin School Trustees Meeting

Special meeting of the school Board held at the office of the Secretary, Monday, March 20th, at 5 o'clock p.m.

All the members of the board were present: Dr. Folkings, providing.

Re-accommodation of pupils from outside the school district.

Owing to lack of seating accommodation in the Primary Room it was decided that only those residing in the school district could, for the present be accommodated in the Primary Room. This does not in any way affect the Senior Room attendance.

The Medical Officer of Health stated that, in all probability Edinlassie school would be able to open in about three weeks' time, so that the inconvenience would not be of sufficient duration to seriously affect the primary grades.

### Beginners Class Will Commence After Easter

In reply to the letter from Miss Freeman, the Board of Trustees, this week following the Easter Holidays as the most convenient time for beginners to commence school. This would enable the teacher to make plans for same; and would obviate the necessity of having too many stages in the first class.

Parents who intend sending pupils during this term should please try to meet this arrangement.

A very interesting article upon the culture of strawberries appears on page six. This is written by a local gardener, and local conditions are considered strictly by the writer.

### Local Notes Of Interest

Mr. Max Campbell spent a day in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis are in Edmonton this week.

Mr. A. S. Campbell was a business visitor to Unity last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith of Sherlock Lake were visitors in Chauvin, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milne and Miss L. Milne of Edgerton have returned home after spending the winter in B.C.

Mr. Sutherland, manager of the local bank, was a business visitor to Edmonton last week.

Mrs. C. G. Poryan is spending a few days visiting friends in Edmonton this week.

Sooner or later they all come back to Chauvin. We are pleased to welcome the return of Mr. and Mrs. Dundas to our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Johnson and Miss Josie Johnson, returned to Chauvin on Thursday after spending the winter in New Westminster, B.C.

Local business has been brisker in the past ten days.

Formaline and Gopher Poison will now soon again be the order of the day. We have both already in stock and serve you. Buy now so you will not need to make a special trip when required.

The Chauvin Pharmacy

Quite heavy winds have prevailed during the past week. These have been accompanied by a number of snow showers. Owing to the mildness of the temperature much of the recent fall has melted and dried up, leaving barely sufficient snow on the trails. Cattle and horses are generally reported in good shape and condition.

The Chauvin G. W. V. will hold their regular meeting at 8 p.m., on Saturday, March 25th at the Veterans hall.

Joseph Smith has decided to have an auction sale at his farm, N. U. of 10-44-28, on Saturday, April 5th. In another column you can get full particulars.

Mrs. Keatley has returned to Chauvin and Mr. Keatley is expected to arrive before spring work commences.

Messrs H. Petrie and Alex Taylor returned Monday from their visit to Bonnie Scotland.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Saul. 'Tis the occasion of their silver wedding.

The Young people are planning the program will consist of songs, Choruses, Dances in Costume, Duets and a very amusing play.

The dances program has been carefully arranged so that those who enjoy the old time dances may trip the light fantastic equally with the admirers of the lighter vein.

Lunch will be provided and served by the Fair Sex.

Admission to Concert: Adults 50c. and 25c. for the kiddies. Dance 50c for Gentlemen No charge for Ladies.

The proceeds will go to the needy of our Province.

## Prize List: Women & Childrens Work: Chauvin Fair

### LADIES WORK

RULES, CONDITIONS, ETC.

- Exhibits competing for prizes must be original work and be awarded a prize by the production of the exhibitor. No Exhibitor must be ready to prove that work shown has been done by her. Articles presented for exhibition must be fresh and clean.
- All exhibits must be delivered not later than 10 a.m. on Friday.
- 35 Collection of Sketches.
- 3 Positively no article will be eligible for a prize that has won prizes at the Chauvin Agricultural Society's Exhibition in previous years.
- 4 No Article can be shown in more than one class.
- 5 Judges reserve the right to withhold prizes where there is not sufficient competition.

(See also Special Prizes)

### SOLID EMBROIDERY

In Linen or Cotton

1 Centre Piece, colored or white	1.50	.75
2 Pair Pillowcases	1.50	.75
3 Sideboard Scarf	1.50	.75
4 Collar and Cuffs	1.50	.75
5 Lunch Cloth	1.50	.75
6 Embroidered Night Gown	1.50	.75
7 Embroidered Cushion Cover	1.50	.75

### EYELET EMBROIDERY

In Linen or Cotton

8 Centre Piece	1.50	.75
9 Pillow Cases	1.50	.75

10 Sideboard Scarf	1.50	.75
11 Night Gown	1.50	.75
12 Collar and Cuffs	1.50	.75
13 Lunch Cloth	1.50	.75

### RIGIDILEU OR ROMAN CUT WORK

14 Centre Piece, white or colored	1.50	.75
15 Side Board Runner	1.50	.75
16 Cushion	1.50	.75
17 Pillow Cushion	1.50	.75
18 Five O'clock Tea Cloth	1.50	.75

### CROCHET

19 Child's Petticoat, crocheted trimmed	1.00	.50	.25
20 Corset Cover, crocheted trimmed	1.00	.50	.25
21 Night Dress, crocheted trimmed	1.00	.50	.25
22 Centre Piece, crocheted edged	1.00	.50	.25
23 Any Sample of Irish Crochet	1.00	.50	.25
24 Tray Cloth, edged and filet insets	1.00	.50	.25
25 Infant's Bonnet	1.00	.50	.25
26 Pair Dinner Mats	1.00	.50	.25
27 Towels, edged	1.00	.50	.25

### TATTING

28 3 Handkerchiefs, tatted edges	1.00	.50	.25
29 Bureau Scarf	1.00	.50	.25
30 Tatted Corset Cover	1.50	.75	.25
31 Tatted Neck Lace	1.00	.50	.25

### KNITTING

32 Knitted Sweater, Gents	3.00	2.00	1.00
33 Knitted Sweater, lady's	3.00	2.00	1.00
34 Knitted Socks	2.00	1.00	.50

35 Ladies Gloves	1.50	.75	.25
36 Child's Petticoat	1.50	.75	.25
37 Knitted Tam O'Shanter	1.50	.75	.25

### MISCELLANEOUS EXHIBITS

38 Woman's House Dress	2.00	1.00	
39 Any Article in Bead Work	1.50	.75	
40 Woman's Blouse	1.50	.75	
41 Child's Dress	1.50	.75	
42 Overall Apron, colored	1.00	.50	
43 Girl's Middy	1.00	.50	
44 Man's Work shirt, machine sewn	1.00	.50	
45 Boys Shirt, machine sewn	1.00	.50	
46 Boy's Overall	1.00	.50	
47 Child's Rompers	1.00	.50	
48 Pyjamas	1.00	.50	
49 Woman's Petticoat, colored	1.00	.50	
50 Specimen Darning on Socks	1.00	.50	
51 3 Articles made from cotton sacks	1.50	.75	.25
52 Boudoir Cap	1.00	.50	
53 Fancy Vanity Bag	1.00	.50	
54 Cushion, any kind	1.00	.50	
55 Any Article embroidered in wool	1.00	.50	
56 Any Article in cross stitch	1.00	.50	
57 Any Article in drawn work	1.00	.50	
58 Patchwork Quilt	2.00	1.00	.50
59 Rug, any kind	2.00	1.00	.50
60 Bedroom Slippers	1.00	.50	
61 Bouquet of Wild Flowers	1.00	.50	
62 Collection of House Plants	3.00	2.00	
63 Artificial Flowers in silk, home made	1.00	.50	
64 Any Article in Boy's Handicraft	2.00	1.00	.75

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### CHILDRENS DEPARTMENT

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2 Fancy Apron, colored	1.00	.50	.25
3 pair Towels, crocheted trimmed	1.00	.50	.25
4 Crocheted Yoke	1.50	.50	.25
5 Specimen Patching on gingham	1.00	.50	.25
6 2 Handkerchiefs, trimmed tatted	1.00	.50	.25
7 Article of Underwear from cotton sacking	1.00	.50	.25
8 Babies' Booties	1.00	.50	.25
9 Pair Knitted Socks	2.00	1.00	.50
10 Prettiest Night Dress	1.50	.75	.25
11 Beaded Vanity Bag	1.50	.75	.25
12 Girls Middy, any style	1.50	.75	.25
13 Dressed Doll	1.50	.75	.25
14 3 Artificial Silk Rose Buds, home made	1.50	.75	.25

### TINY TOTS

(No Entry Fee)

1 Knitted Washrag	.50	.25	.15
2 Crocheted Purse Bag	.50	.25	.15
3 Crocheted Doll's Bonnet	.50	.25	.15
4 Prettiest Doll's Dress Hat	.50	.25	.15
5 any material	.50	.25	.15
6 Fully Knitted for dolls	.50	.25	.15
6 Plate Heche made Candy	.50	.25	.15
7 3 Little Gingersbread Buns	.50	.25	.15

## A Plebiscite On

The Beer Question  
Within One Year

(Published by request)

Expressing satisfaction that the Moore-Love resolution went through the legislature before amendments to the liquor act had come up for discussion, as farmer members can now speak and vote quite freely according to their individual opinions, R. C. Edwards, M.L.A., independent member for Calgary, gave another interesting week end interview to The Albertan just before returning to Edmonton last night.

"Last week in the legislature was taken up," said he, "with the introduction and discussion of new bills and amendments to acts, each surcharged with an importance all its own, but of no popular appeal. For instance an act to provide for the extermination of agricultural pests and an act to amend the Drainage Districts act, 1921," are not calculated to stir the imagination of our dear old college chum, hol polloi, to any alarming extent."

"I noticed," remarked the reporter "that the Moore-Love resolution went through."

"You bet it did. Some said that it interfered with the prerogative of the king, and if that be so it was perhaps hardly fair on the part of Alec Moore and Russel Love to take ad-

vantage of his majesty's preoccupation with his daughter's wedding to put it over. However, I voted for it, and am glad that it passed before the attorney-general had introduced his amendments to the liquor act. The farmer-members can now speak and vote quite freely, according to their individual opinions without any suggestion of disloyalty to their own government."

"And when do you expect these interesting amendments to be introduced?" asked the reporter.

"Next Monday or Tuesday or Wednesday or Thursday or Friday, I should imagine. Nothing can be done by any of us until the attorney-general makes his pronouncement in the house. One gets all kinds of so-called 'inside information' on the subject, but it is mostly guess-work. One thing certain is that the new government is going to try its hand at enforcing the liquor act by a general tightening up all around. The drug stores are going to get a wallop in the midriff, and a couple of vendor stores are to be established in the outskirts of Calgary and Edmonton so as to enable Messrs Hull, Bishop, to keep cases on the people wending their way out for booze. The bootleggers of Edmonton, at least—are all stocked up ready to make a big killing the moment the druggists are put out of the whiskey business."

"Can it be possible," ejaculated the astonished reporter, "that any Edmonton druggist can have been guilty of selling liquor?"

The member for Calgary regarded the scribe darkly for a few moments and continued:

"The jovial boot-leggers of Edmonton are vastly amused over the idea of a Methodist parson being given a government position in connection with the enforcement of the liquor act. However, his appointment gratifies the pride of the Social Service League and pleases the leading emulators on behalf of sinful mankind, especially when there are one or two government jobs in the offing? The more bootleggers, the more \$64s. Vive le Bootlegger! Three cheers for the moonshiners!"

"What are the personal views of the members of the new government on the respective merits of a liquor permit system, a lager beer system and an absolute bondry system?" he was asked.

"Hanged if I know. Prohibition figured in the platform which shoo'd the farmers into office, and they naturally feel in honor bound to try out rigid enforcement of the act. Of course, in doing so they will only get the country deeper in the mire, especially if they continue to allow themselves to be unduly influenced by well-meaning sociological ignoramus, both male and female, who innocently enough are striving to sober up the province on moonshine whiskey."

"Does the present government," asked the reporter, "show any surface indications of being amenable to argument in favor of legalizing the sale of beer?"

"I cannot say as to that. The new government is essentially a conscientious government, and intends making an honest effort to carry out its obligations to the people who put

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## CO-OPERATION IS KEYNOTE OF BANK OF MONTREAL

HISTORY OF OVER ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF  
STEADY GROWTH AND USEFULNESS

The Bank of Montreal, which has just taken over the Merchants Bank of Canada, is the oldest Bank of the Dominion. It was established in 1817 and during over a century of co-operation in developing Canadian trade and industry has been so closely allied with many of the largest undertakings of the country that its history is largely the history of the Dominion. The oldest Bank in British North America and one of the largest in the British Empire, it has effected this great work with such a kindly touch of co-operation that it has always enjoyed the confidence, one might almost say the affection, of all Canadians.

Looking back over its undertakings of 100 years and scanning the different groups of men that have succeeded one another in the direction and administration of the affairs of the Bank one is immediately struck by the high ideals they have always attained and their faithfulness in maintaining the best traditions of the Bank which has been confided to their care. On closer examination, one is almost tempted to remark that one of the underlying factors in the remarkable success of the Bank is the jealous manner in which its officers have respected and passed along the traditions of the earlier days.

With these traditions the Bank has become something more than merely a banker to its customers. It has gone much further and whether the customer was an individual, a company municipality or Government, the Bank has sought to lend entire co-operation and to give the benefit of its full experience in order that their problems might be worked out and success attained.

There are so many Canadians who today take pride in telling of the help they received in the early days of their struggle as a result of this policy that might truthfully be said that the Bank of Montreal has played a prominent part in the development of every industry that to-day thrives in Canada.

Such hearty co-operation evidently had as its foundation absolute confidence in the future of Canada. This confidence has been fully justified, and it is when one looks back 50 or 100 years that one appreciates the courage and foresight it required to gauge aright the opportunities that were ahead.

And so the Bank of Montreal has grown to be more than a Bank—it is an institution.

Its growth and expansion have been like those of many other Canadian concerns. It came from very small and humble beginnings, but gradually and steadily it expanded and as the population spread out over the North

America continent, the Bank of Montreal expanded its branch system in order to play its full part in the development of the resources of the country.

For a great many years it has also served as fiscal agent for the Government of the Dominion of Canada and in this capacity has been able to lend valuable assistance in shaping the helping to keep its condition at all times sound.

Furthermore, although the bank is an institution of remarkable strength and solidity, it must not be forgotten that many, if not most, of its offices are situated in small towns and its services are therefore necessarily devoted very largely to the farmer and the small business man. It is true that many of the largest business and industrial concerns in the country avail themselves of the services of the Bank and this institution is able to offer, but the policy of the bank is service first, whether in connection with large accounts or small ones, and the attention and care devoted to small accounts both in cities and in rural districts from one of the reasons why the Bank of Montreal is held in such high repute throughout the Dominion.

### Organization Of The Bank

It was on the 23rd of June, 1817, that nine merchants of Montreal, namely John Richardson, George Garden, George Moffatt, Thomas A. Turner, Robert Armour, James Leslie, Horatio Gates, John C. Bush, and Austin Cuvillier, signed Articles of Association for the formation of the "Montreal-Bank."

The first meeting of the stockholders was held on the 7th August, 1817. At this meeting the following directors were elected: John Gray, who became the first President; Thomas A. Turner, the first Vice-President; John Forsyth, George Garden, George Moffatt, Horatio Gates, Fred W. Ermatinger, John McTavish, Austin Cuvillier, James Leslie, Haram Nichols, George Platt and Zabdiel Thayer.

The directors and chief officers having been elected, the organization of the Bank for the conduct of business was immediately effected. A house, occupied by Robert Armour, in St Paul Street, Montreal, between St Nicholas and St Francois Xavier Streets was selected for the Bank premises and rented until the 1st of the following year.

The Bank were appointed on the 1st of August. They were Robert Griffin, cashier; Henry Dupuy, accountant; Henry B. Stone, paying teller; and James Jackson, second bookkeeper and porter were added shortly afterwards and it was with this staff of seven that the Bank began business.

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The announcement regarding the opening business was inserted in the local papers on the 23rd October, 1817 and read as follows:

"The Bank of Montreal will commence operation on Monday November 3: Bank hours, 10 to 3 Discount days, Tuesday and Friday Bills and Notes for discount to be delivered to the cashier on the previous day."

Promptly at the time appointed, the modest establishment in St Paul Street opened its doors and the Bank was started which was destined to play such a beneficial part in Canada's resources. Two weeks after the opening of the Bank, the directors appointed an agent at Quebec. In the following June the agency became an office of discount and deposit and a month later agents were appointed at Kingston and York (later called Toronto.)

### Bank Moves to St. James St.

Bank moves to St James Street From the first it was recognized that the rental of the Bank premises was to be a temporary expedient and within a few weeks after commencing business the directors acquired two lots of St. James Street, and in 1821, bought from James McDougall for \$2,000 and after long occupancy by the Bank, became the site of the general Post Office of Montreal, which immediately adjoins on the west of present Head Office of the Bank. The plans for a building were approved early in 1818 and the structure

ready for occupancy in 1819.

The chief shareholders of the Bank did not have to wait long for a tangible reward of their enterprise. The business was sufficient both in volume and profits to warrant to directors in declaring, at the end of a year's operations, a dividend of 8 per cent upon the capital paid in. From that time to the present, with the exception of 1827 and 1828, the Bank has never failed to pay dividends to its shareholders. Concurrently with the declaration of a dividend, the directors displayed farsighted financial wisdom in placing a portion of the profits started the Bank's Rest, which with the accumulation during a period of more than a century amounts now to the sum of \$22,000,000.

During this time the Bank, operating under the Articles of 1817, but at the same time it was endeavouring to obtain the sanction to do business either by Act of the British Parliament or by Royal Charter. As early as October, 1817, the stockholders at a general meeting had decided to apply to the Legislature for an Act of Incorporation. There were some delays in connection with this, and in 1821 the Legislature granted a Charter which received the Royal Assent on May 18th, 1822. The Capital stock was fixed at £250,000.

Naturally the Bank had to meet many periods of great un-

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## MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF RIBSTONE, NO. 421 LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH

### Penalties For NOT Reporting Cases Of Notifiable Diseases

Section 16 of The Public Health Act of the Province of Alberta:--- WHENEVER A HOUSEHOLDER ASCERTAINS OR HAS REASON TO SUSPECT THAT A PERSON WITHIN HIS FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD IS INFECTED WITH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING NOTIFIABLE DISEASES, namely; Smallpox, Chickenpox, Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever, Typhoid Fever, Measles, German Measles, Whooping Cough, Mumps, Puerperal Fever, etc., etc., HE SHALL WITHIN TWELVE HOURS GIVE NOTICE IN WRITING TO THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF HEALTH, MUNICIPAL OFFICE, CHAUVIN, or to the Councilor for the Ward in which he resides (who is the local member of the Local Board of Health of the Municipal District).

Section 251:--- ANY PERSON VIOLATING ANY OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT SHALL, ON SUMMARY CONVICTION BEFORE A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, BE LIABLE TO A PENALTY OF NOT MORE THAN \$50.00 AND COSTS.-----THIS APPLIES TO ALL PERSONS WHO ARE AWARE OF THE EXISTENCE OF ANY NOTIFIABLE DISEASE.

PERSONS ATTENDING TO EMERGENCY BUSINESS FOR ANY HOUSEHOLD WHERE SUCH DISEASE IS KNOWN TO BE, WHETHER OFFICIALLY QUARANTINED OR NOT, MUST NOT LOITER IN STORES OR MEETING PLACES. WHERE POSSIBLE THEY MUST HAVE THE GOODS HANDLED TO THEM AT THE DOOR OF THE STORE.-----THIS REFERS TO ALL PUBLIC PLACES.

Whenever any house has been placed under quarantine, (either by card or verbally) NO PERSON THEREIN SHALL LEAVE nor shall the contents thereof be removed from any such house, nor shall any occupant thereof hold communication that might result in spreading infection with any person outside such house. No person shall enter such house except attendants, until such house, inmates and contents have been properly disinfected and released from quarantine.

Provided further that any inmate of any infected house may do whatever may be necessary to procure medical or other aid in any emergency.

(Signed) H. G. FOLKINS, M.D., Medical Officer  
(Signed) T. H. SAUL, Executive Officer  
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Chauvin, Alberta, March 11th 1922.



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## Editorial

### BELIEF AND ACTION

We believe in Chauvin because we live in it. We believe in because it is the centre of a splendid district. We believe in it because it is a good town, regardless of its few defects, and its people are the peers of those to be found anywhere.

You believe in your home town till like it and if you like it no towards its improvement will a great for you.

Can we ask you to have faith in our own powers; to also have faith in your own town.

When you feel like criticizing it, check the thought before spoken. You can always find something good to say instead, and even then the half of the truth will never be told.

It is a good town now, but faith

is a better one. Our faith in this town, brother, is simply faith in you—because the town is a collection of you's. Surely your faith is not less than ours.

Let us unite—let us act—for a more collective community. It is your home—and ours.

### BOTTLES AT DANCES

Almost invariably there seems to be some one who thinks that by bringing a bottle along they are contributing to the enjoyment of the dance. We may in our most tolerant frame of mind think they are trying to maintain the age-old custom, or we may in exasperation call such folks an intolerable nuisance and disgrace.

It is really too bad when the organizers of a dance have taken trouble to arrange every thing for the pleasure of those attending, to find their efforts marred by the presence of that which the public have voted out.

There are quite a few folks in the community who wish their sons and daughters to be free of the direct and indirect effects of "liquor" and their views are fully entitled to respect.

To say the very least it is certainly impolite to introduce the "bottle" on these occasions.

A Jack Tar went into a foreign church where he heard some one uttering the words: "ah! mih, bearc Martin". On giving an account of his adventures, Jack interpreted the phrase as sounding like: "All my eye and Betty Martin". Hence the well-known saying.

## Local Bank Becomes Branch Of Bank Of Montreal To-Day

Our local bank to day becomes a branch of the Bank of Montreal. An official telegraphic communication to this effect having been received by the local staff.

A lengthy article appears in this issue giving an insight into the history of the Bank of Montreal. It is a matter of no little importance that our local bank is linked up with such a strong institution, and we may enjoy every confidence in the management.

## Local Talent Wins Approval

At a recent convention of Alberta Fairs Mrs. T. Armour was asked to give a paper on "Should Agriculture be Taught in Public Schools?"

Her sentiments on this question seemed to hit the convention just right, and a motion was passed that it be printed and sent to the Minister of Education.

The Secretary of the Association did so, and the following reply was sent to Mr. Gaborath, Superintendent of the Alberta Fairs, from Deputy Minister Ross:

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
Province of Alberta  
Dear Mr. Gaborath,

I wish to thank you for the copy of the paper read by Mrs. Armour of Chauvin. I have read this paper with considerable pleasure, and am pleased to learn that she has taken such a san view of what education in rural schools should be.

I will have this paper read by a number of the members of our staff.

J. P. Ross,  
Deputy Minister

## Church Social Was Enjoyable Event

On Thursday evening last the Westminster Miles Auxiliary held a social in the I.O.O.F. A varied programme was provided consisting of

songs by Mrs. R. H. Mann, Miss Olive Polkins, and Mr. Harold Foxwell; a dialogue and charade by the High School Pupils; an action song by the younger children; a recitation by Elsie Goede; and a reading from Dickens' "Pickwick Papers" by Mrs. and enjoyed. A dainty lunch was served by the ladies of the Auxiliary.

## Local Notes Of Interest

Mr. Sutherland, our local bank manager, caught a severe chill on his recent business trip to Edmonton and is seriously indisposed. We wish him a speedy recovery.

What about setting your tomato seeds in boxes. Guess it's about time.

The 1922 prize list of Women's and Children's work for the Chauvin Fair is inserted in this issue as a guide to those who wish to start their work in good time. Better cut out the list and save it for future reference.

A very pleasant time was spent by all present at the St. Patrick's concert given by the Ribstone W. I. We are hoping that the full report will be furnished us for publication.

Sur-Shot Bot and Worm exterminator—one dose does the trick. The only known remedy to kill bot. 8 horse treatment including gun \$5.00, 4 horse treatment including the gun Those already having the gun can get the capsules at \$2.25 per dozen at

The Chauvin Pharmacy

## New Post Office Regulations About Returning Letters

Addressed letters which are improperly addressed these promptly returned to them according to new regulations which have reached the post office. Formerly undelivered mail matter was held for fifteen days in the endeavor to locate the addressee, but this procedure is now cancelled, and when the postmaster is unable to connect with an address, the letter is at once sent back to the sender.

## The Fairs Circuit

Dates for the principal summer fairs in Western Canada this year have been decided on as follows: Calgary, June 30 to July 7; Edmonton, July 8 to 15; Saskatoon, July 17 to 22; Brandon, July 24 to 29; Regina, July 31 to August 5. A good time to visit the country and make the circuit by the Canadian National Railways.

## Chauvin Follies

A very bright and novel entertainment will be given here on March 31st by the "Chauvin Follies."

Rehearsals are in full swing and already there are signs which promise well for the enjoyment of our audience. Is Chauvin full of beauty and talent? As Bill says "I'll say so!!" and so will we on the 31st.

Proceeds to aid our unemployed and needy in the Province.

## Spurious Stock Feed On Market

In view of the elimination of all cream-buysing stations throughout the province on the 1st of May, as provided for by special legislation passed by the Alberta Legislature last week, the Swift Canadian Company is making use of our advertising columns during the next few weeks in order to call attention to their exceptional facilities for handling direct cream shipments. Backed by very large financial resources, and manufacturing butter on a big scale, the company is in a position to pay the very highest prices for cream on an absolutely cash basis. During the past few years the cream-buysing business of the Swift Co. has increased to a phenomenal extent, and the new publicity plans of the company ensure that that increase will be maintained in an even greater ratio in the future. This is the first time in the history of the company that the newspapers of the province have been asked for advertising purposes, and this fact is a tribute to the growing power of the weekly newspaper as an advertising medium.

"Don't you think there should be music in every home?" "By all means. What I object to is music next door."

Character is what we are in the dark

## 35c Meals at M. Jack's Chauvin

M. Jack has returned from Edmonton and reopened his former restaurant. **GO ON**  
**REGULAR MEALS at 35c**  
**STRICTLY CASH—NO CREDIT**

For a few years some smooth faces have told me to put account on ice. It is true indeed.

## BARN PRICES

TEAM HAY	each feed	.40
" HAY (overnight)	2 feeds	1.00
" STALL		.25
" STALL (overnight)		.75
" OATS	extra	.20
SINGLE OATS		.1
" HAY		.25
" STALL		.15

### DANCE

TEAM HAY		.50
SINGLE HAY		.25
TEAM STALL		.35
SINGLE STALL		.20

TELEPHONE: BARN No. 9  
Residence, No. 29

**A. E. KEITH**  
Chauvin Alberta

# To Car & Engine Owners

J. Rinde wishes to announce that he has leased the Repair Shop at the J. A. Code Garage. This shop is thoroughly well equipped with modern machinery for all classes of repair and rebuilding work, also vulcanizing and acetylene welding. All work entrusted to our care will receive prompt and efficient attention and every effort will be given to ensure the most complete satisfaction.

**J. Rinde,** Code's Garage  
Chauvin

"We can save money by not advertising."

"Yes," replied the advertising man, "and you can also save money by not eating."

## Irish Social At Artland School

A St. Patrick's Day social was held on Friday evening March 17th, in the Artland Public School, when the pupils presented a program in keeping with the day celebrated.

An appreciative audience enjoyed program numbers and the hour's dancing which followed. The most interesting feature of the evening was presentation of an Irish Character Sketch entitled "An Interrupted Proposal", which was given with very realistic rendering and drew forth much applause. Those taking part were Minnie McKague, Myrtle McKague, Alice Merritt, and Frank Merritt.

In addition to the choruses, "Killarney" and "Isle of Beauty," given by the whole school, there were solos, trios and quartettes; the songs including "The Harp that Once Through Tara's Halls," by Myrtle McKague; "Pearl Rose, Jessie Merritt;" a solo, "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms," by Beulah Reynolds; and "The Last Rose of Summer" by Minnie McKague. The accompaniments were played by Messrs. Wirth McKague (violin) and Victor Clark, (cornet); Frank Merritt gave an Irish reading, and Lincoln McKague an Irish jig. Every number was well received and the pupils were heartily complimented on their successful efforts to entertain their audience. The proceeds amounted to \$12.00, and will go towards the purchase of furnishings for the new schoolhouse.

The next monthly social open to the public will be held Easter Monday evening, April 17th, when the adult citizens of Artland and district will present the program.

## Concert And Dance At Artland

A concert and dance will be held in Artland school on Friday, March 31st. Concert starts 8.30 p.m. sharp. The following program will be given by the Learg Amateur Dramatic Society: Act I "The Barkey Wood Dealer"; Act II "The Trouble begins at 9"; Songs etc; Dance will commence at 10.30. First class music will be provided. Admission, Gents \$1.00; boys under 12 free. Ladies please bring baskets. A good time is assured. Come one, Come all. All roads leads to Artland.

## St. Andrews Society Concert & Dance

The local St. Andrews Society are making their existence felt again by putting on a splendid concert on Friday 24th.

The concert will be followed by a real old fashioned dance which, for an evening at any rate will bring the old timer back to the days of his youth.

All the one-time favorites will be enjoyed again and everyone is ensured a good time.

A tyrant's hand, a coward's heart

## Lively Debates At Airlie School

The pupils of Airlie school invited the parents and families to a farewell party in honor of their teacher Mr. P. H. Perry.

The guests began to arrive about two o'clock p.m. and were welcomed by the hosts and hostesses.

A program had been arranged. Mr. C. Mathison acted as chairman.

**Program**  
Chairman's address; Song by Mrs. H. Butler; Song by Miss Gargill; Song by Ruth Montgomery; Song by Grace Gargill; Song by Mrs. P. H. Perry; Duet by John Gargill and Ruth Montgomery; Recitation by Howard Butler; Recitation by Lawrence Butler; Recitation Mr. P. H. Perry; Song C. Mathison; Song P. Manson; Duet by John Gargill and Ruth Montgomery.

U.F.A. Junior Marching Song by junior members with Mrs. P. H. Perry presiding at the organ. Also Juniors of the U.F.A. by junior members accompanied by Mrs. P. H. Perry.

Mrs. P. Gargill, Mrs. H. Butler, Wm. Gargill, Mr. P. Gargill, with Mrs. P. H. Perry presiding at the organ, sang quite a few songs.

The pupils then erected a table the full length of the schoolroom and loaded it down with all kinds of good eats. The guests then sat down to the table and were waited on by the pupils who made very efficient waiters.

Which is the most profitable, the Cow or Hen

Negative—Melville Butler, Howard Butler, Grace Gargill.  
Affirmative—Mina Gargill, John Gargill, Charlie Craddock.

P. Gargill and Mrs. P. H. Perry acted as judges. Resolved that the cow was the most profitable.

Whether is the City or Country the Best place to live.  
City—Bessie Gargill, Euter Mathison, Hilda Callin.

Country—Lawrence Butler, Cecil Montgomery, Bert Craddock, Clifford Callin.

Resolved, that the country has more inexpensive pleasures.

Miss Mary Manson then presented Mr. Perry with a pair of gold cut links engraved with initials P.H.P. from the pupils.

The pie eating contest was a tie between John Gargill and P. H. Perry.

The chairman thanked the teacher and pupils for their fine entertainment which was closed by singing "God save the King".

The blackboards were decorated with Shamrock drawings.

## Spurious Stock Feed On Market

In administering the Feeding Stuffs Act the Seed Commissioner at Ottawa has made the discovery that many commercial stock feeds are adulterated with worthless substances which give only bulk and weight. A product sold as barley meal at \$4 a bag, was found by microscopical examination to contain no barley whatever. The material consisted of a mixture of ground corn, sorghum, bean meal and ground oat hulls. This mixture had the merit of containing some nutritive value. Another mixture sold as ground oil cake, however, was much less valuable inasmuch as it consisted to a large extent of ground coconut shells, which is a very indigestible product, together with a little linseed meal and barley flour. These discoveries unfortunately shatter confidence in feed mixtures in general, many of which are spurious and good. They go to prove, however, the necessity for a careful enforcement of the Feeding Stuffs Act. Arrangements have been made by the Seed Commissioner for the examination of samples of feeds purchased by farmers where

there is reason to believe that misrepresentations or fraud has been practiced.

## MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF RIBSTONS, NO. 421

SEED GRAIN ADVANCES FOR UNPATENTED DOMINION LANDS FOR CROP SEASON 1922

To all Holders of Unpatented Lands

This Municipal District is in receipt of advice from the Department of the Interior to the effect that, where there is danger that unpatented Dominion lands (under cultivation), may not be seeded owing to lack of means, the necessary seed will be paid for by the Dominion Government.

Applications must be made to the Secretary-Treasurer not later than March 31st. This is positively the last date, according to instructions. T. H. SAUL, Secy.-Treas. M.D. Ribstons, No. 241.

## NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF SIFTON NO. 391

### Public Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all land owners in the Municipal District of Sifton 391, that stones laying on the road allowances which have been moved from the adjacent lands:

must be moved so that the road will be left clear. The councillors for each division have been authorized to hire the work done, if, after the 1st. of July the owners have not already completed the work. Any expense arising from this work will be charged against the land from which the stone has been moved.  
W. Ironfield,

## Public Notice

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Public Notice is hereby given that the trail across S.W. 28-42-2 with, will on and after April 1st 1922 be closed to the public; and that action will be taken against parties who break fence, open gates, or trespass on this land.

F. B. BREWER, Ribstons, Alta.

## Notice

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Will the party, who in the fall of 1920, sold a bay horse with white in forehead, to H. A. Bratvold, then of Dina, please communicate with the Chauvin Chronicle, or the undersigned, who wishes to obtain definite proof of the age of this animal in order to settle a later transaction. The original owner is assured that he will not be put to any trouble or involved in any manner. Vital Cyr, Chauvin.

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## AUCTION SALE Chauvin, March 25th

LISTINGS MADE TO DATE: HORSES, 8 Matched Teams of Mares & Geldings, 2000 to 2200lbs; Grey Gelding, 4 yrs; 1400lbs; Pair of Bay Geldings, 4 & 7 yrs old, 2000lbs; Team of Mares, 3000lbs; Team Black Mares, 2800lbs; Shetland Pony; Team of Bay Geldings, 2700lbs; Team of Black Gelding, 2000lbs; Team of Mares, Roan & Bay, 3000lbs; SEVEN FRESH MILK COWS; Implements: 14 inch Breaker Bottom for the Imperial Gang Plow; Harrow Cart; 6 inch Feed Chopper; Pump Jack; Power Horse Chippers; Harrow Cart for gang plow; 16 Single Disk Drill; HARNESS; HOUSEHOLD GOODS & c. FURTHER LISTINGS MAY BE MADE UNTIL NIGHT OF FRIDAY, MARCH 24th

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## GARDENING

BY A LOCAL GARDENER

### The Strawberry And Its Culture

The wild strawberries are widely distributed throughout the world and although small they have a flavor preferred by many people to the garden varieties.

There are a great many cultivated varieties which have been chieftly derived from the Chilean strawberry and the Virginian species, all of which are good. But some are of outstanding ferits and free suitable to our immediate neighborhood than others.

The varieties may be divided into hearing. Probably the best varieties two classes: Standard and Everbearing. The standard varieties—Wakfield (Imp), Senator Dunlop (Per), Everbearing varieties are the Progressive (per), and the Superb (per).

Wakfield (Imp) an old favorite, early, of strong growth, and a heavy

cropper. Berries medium size, smooth, dark red, and they are excellent for canning.

Senator Dunlop (per) is a deservedly popular variety of vigorous growth producing a large quantity of big, dark red, glossy berries, studded with bright yellow seeds which add greatly to its appearance. The fruit is of fine form and excellent flavor.

Progressive everbearing (per) is a strong, vigorous grower and a good drought resister. The fruit is medium large, of a delicious flavor and nearly free from acid making it a general favorite.

Superb everbearing a plant of low spreading habits, not as productive as the Progressive but producing larger dark red berries of excellent flavor from June till late fall.

Strawberry plants are divided into two sexes, male or bisexual and female or pistillate. The male or bisexual varieties produce blossoms having both male and female organs are self pollinating and will produce fruit independently of the female or pistillate varieties. The blossoms produced by the female or pistillate varieties, however, have only female organs and will not produce berries unless they are grown in close proximity to bisexuals. Therefore to ensure proper fertilization of pistillate varieties every fourth row should be planted to a bisexual variety of the safe fruiting season as the pistillate variety.

The Standard variety generally have a short fruiting season, and produce one crop a year. Should a late frost come along about the time they are in bloom the crops for the season would be lost.

The everbearing varieties, however, are different in this respect, and it is a very important difference should their first blossoms be destroyed by frost the plants continue to produce fruit continuously from about June to September so that with other conditions right, it would not be unreasonable to expect a good crop of berries in any ordinary season.

The strawberry succeeds best on a moderately heavy, rich, thoroughly drained soil with a sunny exposure, and sheltered from north and west winds.

In selecting a place in the garden, choose one where the snow lies deep in the winter, as it affords considerable protection and moisture for the plants. It is better to well work the cannot be done it should be performed as early in the spring as conditions will permit, digging deep and adding a liberal supply of well rotted manure thoroughly mixed and packed firm. With the rake break up all clumps and leave the surface even and fine ready for setting plants.

There are several systems of planting. The matted row, single hedge row, and the hill system. Where fruit of large size and superior quality is desired for private use the latter system is best. Plants ordered from distant nurseries will sometimes arrive before conditions are suitable for planting, the packages should be opened at once to prevent the plants from heating or drying out. They should be heeled in until they can be planted; this is done by making a V shaped trench about 8 inches deep, shake out the plants and place in a row in the trench, close together, keeping the crowns level with the surface of the ground. Cover the roots with a light covering of soil and proceed to place another layer of plants until they are all heeled in and water thoroughly.

Set plants in rows 15 to 18 inches between the plants and 2 to 2 1/2 ft. in between the rows. A spade, dibble or trowel are preferable. Make holes deep enough and large enough to hold the roots without doubling them. The left hand take a plant holding the crown, drop the roots in the hole, press the crown level with the surface of the soil firmly around it. The spaces will be left be-

tween the rootlets. If the plants are set too deep or too shallow they will die out. It is therefore of the utmost importance that they be set at the proper depth. All roots should be below, and the crown of the plant just level with the ground.

Remove all blossoms and runners on Standard varieties the first year.

Remove the first blossoms on ever bearing varieties, and all but two runners, which should be laid length wise in the row.

Immediately after setting commence cultivation not more than 2 or 3 inches deep and as close to the plants as possible. Keep the surface loose and free from weeds and grass. Mutch the plants with straw or stable manure containing a large proportion of straw, this will help retain moisture and keep the frost off the ground. If during a spell of hot dry weather the plants begin to suffer for want of moisture and watering must be resorted to, the best plan is to make a hole with a posthole auger or crowbar, between every two plants from 1 ft. to 18 inches deep and fill with water preferably in the evenings, next day when the water has soaked in return the soil.

Strawberry plants for all their size produce a very large amount of fruit and they naturally require a corresponding amount of plant food. Commercial fertilizers are good and easy of application, but a simpler and better plan is to make fruit manure by taking a pall of fresh manure place in a sack, soak in a barrel of water. In applying take 1 gallon of liquid manure and dilute with 6 gallons of water and apply as advised for watering at intervals during the fruiting season.

About the end of September the

ground should get a good watering which will put the plants in good shape for going into winter. After freeze up give the plants a heavy mulch of stable manure at least, inches deep which should not be removed until growth has started off following spring, when it should be forked in and cultivation commenced to conserve moisture and keep down weeds.

Mrs. Goodbody: "And how long were you a prisoner?"

Hobo: "Five years, ma'am."

Mrs. Goodbody: "But the war didn't last five years."

Hobo: "Who's talking about the war, ma'am?"

Mr. Jones saw a small boy carrying a big bundle of newspapers under his arm. He felt sorry for the youngster and said: "Don't all those papers make you tired, my boy?"

"No," replied the lad: "I don't read them."

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CANNED CORN, Choice, (Regular 20c a can) 5 cans for 90c  
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PILCHARDS, Wallaces Selected (Regular 20c) ..... 15c  
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SWEET MIXED PICKLES, Gallons (Regular \$1.65) for \$1.40

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The Harvester Company has authorized us to give to each farmer purchasing a new Titan 10-20 kerosene tractor for delivery on or before May 1st, 1922—a regular 3-furrow tractor plow, (a plow we sell for \$222.00) Absolutely Free, such plow f. o. b. Hamilton, Canada. If you already have a tractor plow we will substitute a tractor disk harrow.

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Now is the time to look to  
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Flour has advanced in the last fifteen days \$1.25 a barrel. But you can still purchase that 10c LOAF of BREAD at same weight as before flour advanced.

**CHAUVIN BAKERY, J. P. FISHER**

# CO-OPERATION IS KEYNOTE OF BANK OF MONTREAL

History of over One Hundred  
Years of Steady Growth  
and Usefulness.

(Continued from page three)

est, depression and strife, for the early history of the colony was a turbulent one. There were amongst other things the French rebellions, and the bitter strife between Upper and Lower Canada. The condition of the colony called for the exercise of the greatest diligence on the part of the directors of the Bank.

The period between 1830 and 1840 was a trying one, owing principally to the rebellion which raged in Lower Canada. When trouble was at its height the Bank transferred its specie to Quebec and deposited it in the Bank of Montreal for safe keeping. The

Papineau Rebellion then occurred and the Hon. Peter McGill, then President of the Bank, was the first man to raise a volunteer force to defend law and order. The financial position of the United States at that time forced the Bank to suspend specie payments and in Canada the Banks were forced to follow suit. Specie payments were resumed in 1839.

Through it all, however, the Bank continued to make steady progress, and in addition to the branches already opened, several were opened in Upper Canada among others an office was established at Bytown (now Ottawa), in 1840. By this Branch system the Bank of Montreal founded the bank policy of Canada, which has resulted in elasticity of circulation, regarded as the most attractive feature of the Canadian banking system.

When Upper and Lower Canada were united in 1841 the Bank obtained a new charter with an authorised capital of \$750,000. A period of great development followed and the Bank took full advantage of the opportunity of extending its operations. Even then the conditions were of a primitive character, especially in the way of transportation. The only railway in the country was a small line of 17 miles between Laprairie and St Johns Que., which formed part of the route between Montreal and New York.

The Allan line opened its ocean steamship service in 1852 and about the same time the Grand Trunk and Great Western Railways were started. These greatly helped general progress. The Bank was in a very solid position when the American Civil War came to disturb the economy. It proved a blessing in disguise as far as the Bank was concerned for under the able management of Sir E. H. King, who afterwards became its president, it made large profits by loaning its ample funds in New York at highly favorable rates.

Confederation enabled the Bank still further to extend its

operations. It at once took a leading part in the financial life of the Dominion. Just as it helped in its early years to finance the building of the Lachine Canal, so it helped later in providing the magnificent transportation system which has meant so much in opening up and developing the country.

## The Bank's Impregnable Position

In the first year of its existence the Bank started building up an ample reserve and initiated the policy it has ever since rigidly adhered to, of keeping a large part of its funds liquid, so that it might at all times and under any circumstances be in an impregnable position and be ready to meet any emergency. Today its reserve fund amounts to no less than \$22,000,000 while its authorized capital without taking into account that of the Merchants Bank is \$28,075,000 and its proportion of liquid assets to liabilities to the Public is 62 per cent. The Bank now has branches in every part of the Dominion, and important Branches in the United States, London and Paris.

Throughout its history strong moral and industrial interests have been identified with the affairs of the Bank, and by their experience and judgment have enabled it to exercise a marked influence in connection with the most important undertakings in the country.

For instance, the Hon. John A. Macdonald, one of the historic pioneers in steamboat navigation, became a director of the Bank in 1826, and at the same time was appointed its President. He was the founder in Canada of the Molson family, which has been distinguished from day to day by the benefactions to education and charity.

The Hon. Peter McGill who was President of the Bank for 26 years, was another outstanding figure. During his term of office the Bank passed through three great commercial and financial crises, and emerged stronger than ever. He had been chairman of the first railway in Canada, and was a director of the Grand Trunk Railway Company as well as member of the Legislative Council of the Province.

Mr E. H. King, who was manager of the Bank at the time of the American Civil War and later became its president, was one of the most able and influential men of his day.

Mr George Stephen, (the late Lord Mount Stephen) and Mr R. B. Angus are others who served the Bank well in executive capacity, as did also Mr Donald Smith (afterwards Lord Strathcona) who, with the two gentlemen previously named, was a director of the Bank at the time when it was actively identified with the growth and expansion of the Canadian Northwest. Lord Strathcona remained the president until recent years, when his duties as High Commissioner for Canada in London compelled him to relinquish the office in 1905.

Sir George Drummond and Sir Edward Clouston were two other notable figures in the Bank's recent history.

The directorate of the Bank at the present time contains a notable array of leading figures in and it is generally felt that the traditions of the institution are worthily upheld by Sir Vincent Meredith, Bart., the President, and Sir Frederick Williams-Bothwell, the General Manager. Both have served with the Bank from their early youth.

## The Bank and the War

As the agents of the Dominion Government, and as the banker of other banks, the Bank of Montreal rendered notable service to the country during the war. By calling in large amounts to specie which it had invested abroad, available at short notice, it steadied the financial situation in Canada at a time when great apprehension was entertained, and it thus contributed largely to enabling the country to tide over the period of depression which supervened between the outbreak of war and the reorganization of our industrial and economic life. In the difficult problems of finance which the Government and the country have been faced with from time to time since the close of the war, and Bank has lent invaluable aid.

Not the least service which the Bank of Montreal has rendered to the country is the steady influence which it exerted when a crisis arose in the affairs of the Merchants Bank, and the manner in which it brought its resources and experience to bear not only

in preventing any losses to the clients of that bank but also in preventing anything even remotely resembling a dislocation in the business with which the Merchants Bank was associated. It is generally felt that the customers of the Merchants Bank have been fortunate in finding that the Bank which has served them so well has been able, when difficulties arose, to merge with such a strong and helpful institution as the Bank of Montreal.

## NO SCHOLLARD

Remembering that parents have abandoned the habit of giving their infants strings of Christian names, the author of "Recollections and Reflections" writes:

"A person in Somersetshire was christening a child in his village. He could not gather whether the child's name was to be Anna or Hannah, so stopping down he asked the mother, 'How do you spell it?' 'In an embarrassed and confidential whisper she replied, 'Well, I ain't no schollard neither, sir.'"

RIBSTONE FIELD	
Sunday, March 26th 1922	
Wilmington Valley .....	11 a.m.
Speet Valley .....	3 p.m.
Stone .....	7.30 p.m.
SUNDAY, APRIL 2nd 1922	
St. John's .....	11 a.m.
St. John's Springs .....	3 p.m.
Pearl .....	7.30 p.m.
All cordially Welcomed	
Teacher .. Rev. William Mitchellson	

LUTHERAN CHURCH	
SUNDAY, MARCH 26th 1922	
Rosor .....	11 a.m.
Zion (Dina) .....	3 p.m.
Normanna (Fram) .....	7.30 p.m.
N. R. T. DRAA, Pastor	

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## TREES, FRUITS, SHRUBS, PLANTS

PRICE LIST: SPRING 1922

MAPLE SEEDLINGS, 1 to 1 1/2 feet	per 100	3.00
MAPLE TREES, 2 to 4 feet	per 100	10.00
RUSSIAN LAUREL WILLOWS, 3 to 5 feet	each	1.50
COTTONWOOD TREES, to 3 feet	per 100	5.00
COTTONWOOD TREES, to 4 feet	per 100	6.00
RUSSIAN LAUREL WILLOWS, 1 to 1 1/2 feet	per 100	4.00
RUSSIAN LAUREL WILLOWS, 1 to 1 1/2 feet	per 100	4.00
RUSSIAN POPLAR TREES, 1 to 1 1/2 feet	per 100	6.50
RED CHERRY CURRANTS	per dozen	2.25
NORTH STAR CURRANTS, RED	per dozen	2.25
VICTORIA CURRANTS, RED	per dozen	2.25
VERSAILLES CURRANT, RED	per dozen	2.25
HERBERT RED RASPBERRY	per dozen 90c	100
KING, RED RASPBERRY	per dozen 90c	100
VICTORIA, BEST RED RHUBARB	per dozen	2.00
APPLES: HIBERNAL, WEALTHY, OKABENA, 4 feet	each	.75
CRAB APPLES, TRANSPARENT, HYSLOP	each	.50
SIBERIAN, PLUM, 1 to 2 feet	each	.30
NATIVE WILD PLUM, 1 to 2 feet	each	.30
PURPLE LILAC AND HONEY SUCKLES, 3 to 4 feet	each	.60
VIRGINIA CREEPER AND IRIS	each	.30
CARAGANA for Hedging, 4 to 6 inches	per 100	2.50
CARAGANA TREES, 1 to 2 feet	per 100	10.00
CARAGANA TREES, 3 to 5 feet	each	1.00
SCOTCH PINE TREES, 1 to 1 1/2 feet	each	1.50
STRAWBERRIES, EVERBEARING,	per 100	3.00

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# UNRESERVED CREDIT AUCTION SALE OF LIVESTOCK, MACHINERY, & FURNITURE.

12 miles N.E. Chauvin, 2 miles E. of Robinson's ranch; 8 miles N.W. of Artland, 5 miles S. of mer. bridge.

## N. W. Of 10-44 28

Having been favored with instructions from Joseph Smith, we will sell the following absolutely without reserve.

### 12 HEAD OF HORSES

1 dapple grey gelding, 6 yrs, 1450 lbs; 1 dapple grey gelding, 5 yrs, 1450 lbs; 1 brown mare, 5 yrs old, 1500 lbs; 1 black mare, 10 yrs, 1400 lbs; 1 bay gelding, 5 yrs, 1550 lbs; 1 bay gelding, 7 yrs, 1550 lbs; 1 grey mare, 11 yrs 1440 lbs; 1 bay gelding, 12 yrs, 1400 lbs; 1 chocolate mare, 1 yr; 1 bay mare, 3 yrs, 1200 lbs; 1 bay gelding, 6 yrs, 1400 lbs; 1 bay mare, 2 yrs.

### FURNITURE

1 oak cupboard, glass front; 1 solid oak kitchen cabinet; 1 kitchen table; 1 high chair; 6 oak leather bottom dining chairs; 1 kitchen range; 1 heater; 1 Williams sewing machine, (nearly new); 1 mahogany dresser, oval mirror, length 40 inches; 1 Bane spring and mattress, iron bed; 1 cot; 1 folding camp bed; 1 Windsor couch; 1 Maytag gas washing machine and wringer; 1 parlor carpet 9x12; 1 mahogany centre table; 1 organ in A.1. condition.

### MACHINERY

1 Cockshutt S.D. 20 run drill; 1 14 inch Oliver sander; 1 15 ft. Massey Harris packer; 1 6 section Diamond harrow; 1 7 ft. Massey Harris binder; 1 14-16 combination Great West Sulky; 1 5 ft Frost & Wood mower; 1 10 ft McCormick rake; 1 semi brush breaker; 1 Bain wagon, (2 1/2 inch); 1 Buggy; 1 Adams bog-sleigh (2 1/2 inch); 1 potato cultivator; 1 Fro

### CATTLE

2 choice milk cows, 1 due March 31st; 1 heifer, one year old.

### POTATOES

Select seed potatoes, 1st prize Chauvin, 20 bushels Golden Coin; 5 bushels Irish Cobbler; 5 bushels Everest

Early Ross:  
175 fruit Gems, gals, qts, pts.  
**POULTRY**  
150 pure-bred white Leghorn, 1st prize winners, prizes with them; 1 Buckeye incubator, 65 eggs.

### EQUIPMENT

3 sets work harness; 8 collars; 1 set single driving harness; 1 bay rack; 1 oak pork barrel; 1 water barrel; 1 distern pump; 2 water troughs; other small tools; 500 willow pickets; fire wood.

There are a number of articles of every day use in field, stable and home to be sold which cannot be listed in this bill.

## Wed, April 5th 1922

Sale starts at 12 o'clock sharp. Lunch will be served.

TERMS: Articles of \$25.00 or under, Cash; Over that amount credit will be given until November 1st 1922 on prechaser furnishing approved joint lien note security with interest at rate of 5 per cent per annum. Discount of 8 per cent on all sums entitled to credit.

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\$452,006 the exchange revenue \$257,214 and the toll revenue \$277,952. Throughout the province there are 54 farmers' companies working in conjunction with the system.

"Hullo, my dears, are you native?"  
"No. We're Altkinsons."  
"I mean, were you born here?"  
"No. We were born at home."  
"And where is your home?"  
"At mother's." (Old gent gives it up.)

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"What do you think of this new feminine fad of wearing stockings with a roll to them?"  
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Yes, I was sorry to see Jack Bithery married to Miss Roxley. "Sorry! For his sake or hers?" "For mine. I wanted her."

International Stock Food in pails and smaller packages at Toronto prices. This is the time of year to tone your horses up for spring work. Try a package.

The Chauvin Pharmacy

## Market Prices

SECURITY ELEVATOR, CHAUVIN  
2 p.m., Tuesday, March 21st 1922

Wheat	
No. 1. Northern	1.05
No. 2. Northern	1.06
No. 3. Northern	1.01
Oats	
No. 2. C. W.	.31
Barley	
No. 3. C. W.	.41
Rye	
Flax	
No. 1. N. W.	1.95

LOST: WHITE HORSE, WEIGHT about 1100 lbs. Branded (reverse R D joined, on left shoulder Please notify S. P. Lien, Horos.

FOR SALE: IMMEDIATELY: 5 work horses; 1 purebred Shorthorn bull; 10 purebred R.I.R. roosters; 50 young hens; stock tank and heater; soft water tank, (2 bbls); barrel churn; 1 buggy; 320 bushels potatoes; 2 bay racks; various other articles. L.V. Langille, Chauvin.

FOR SALE: FULL SET OF FARM Implements, cattle and horses and house furniture. Apply, Joseph Dumont, Chauvin, Alta.

LOST: ONE HEREFORD HEIFER red with white face, coming 2 years this spring. Branded half diamond over R and reverse E on right hip. Suitable reward offered for information leading to recovery. Rene Page owner, Chauvin. 410p

FOR SALE: M. JACKS BUILDING and two Lots. One of the best locations in Chauvin. Will be sold below cost. M. Jack, Chauvin, Alberta

\$5.00 REWARD FOR THE delivery of one black filly Brand EC on right shoulder. Wm. H. Hallett, Edgerton Alberta.

FOR SALE: ROSE COMB R.I.R. Cockerles \$2 to \$3 each. First class birds, Cyril Smith, Chauvin.

IMPOUNDED ON MY PLACE N.E. 1-4 2-44-2 on the 6th day of March. One dark bay mare, age 4 years, white spot in forehead, two white hind feet. No brand visible. H. L. Bingham, Chauvin.

\$5.00 REWARD FOR DELIVERY OF One Black Filly, Branded Half circle over B lazy U on right shoulder. Wm. Hallett, Edgerton, Alta.

STRAVED TO MY PREMISES: ONE red yearling steer, one ear split. No brand. Apply E. Collin, Chauvin

FOR SALE: 2000 RASPBERRY Canes at \$4.00 per hundred; 500 RED CURRANT Roots at \$1.50 per dozen; ready for delivery not later than April 20th. Order early. Dave Reynolds, Killarney Lake P. O., Alta. (Orders may be left at Chronicle office).

QUARTER SECTION LAND FOR SALE: N.W. 12-46-1 w/4th, 30 acres summerfallow, 60 acres cultivated, the balance good arable land, adjoining Ridgedough Post Office and store. Cheap for cash, or will be sold for small cash payment and good terms to desirable party. P. Laughon, Dina, P.O., Alberta.

FOR SALE: CLEANED RED BOBS Seed Wheat \$1.40 per bushel. This was grown on breaking, 2nd generation from seed direct from Dr. Seger Wheeler. Wm Rodden, Chauvin.

WANTED: MAN FOR GENERAL Farm Work, steady employment and good wages, if suitable. Apply to Wm Rodden, Chauvin

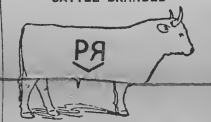
FOR SALE: BRONZE HEN TURKEYS \$3.50 each or \$5.00 per pair; Gobblers \$3.00 each. Mrs' Fred Holbrook, Chauvin.

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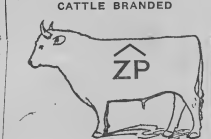
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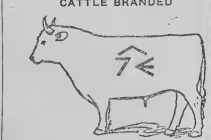
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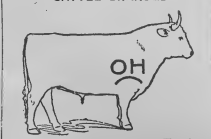
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FOR SALE: RUBY SEED WHEAT \$1.50 per bushel, cleaned, H. Young Chauvin, Alta.

FOR RENT: N.E. 1/4 15-45-27-w/4th Apply P.N. Powers, Artland Sask. R. R. 1.

WANTED TO RENT: A FARM with equipment, half or quarter section preferred. Box 83 Chauvin.

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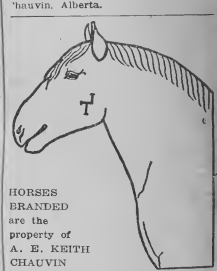


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### HORSES AND CATTLE BRANDED

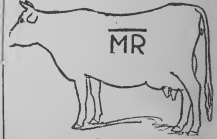


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